



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: Kirk E. Neet
Appln. No.: 10/056,890
Filed: January 24, 2002
For: Automotive Alternator Stator
Assembly With Rectangular
Continuous Wire
Attorney Docket No: 10541-1183

Examiner: Tran N. Nguyen
Art Unit: 2834

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No.	Date of Publication	Patentee/Applicant/Assignee
EP 1 134872 A2	19.09.01	Mitsubishi Denki Kabushiki
EP 1 109289 A3	14.08.02	Mitsubishi Denki Kabushiki

A copy of each listed reference for which a copy is required under 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(2) is also enclosed. As each of the listed references is in English, no further commentary is believed to be necessary, 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(3). Applicant respectfully solicits the Examiner's consideration of the listed references and entry thereof into the record of this application.

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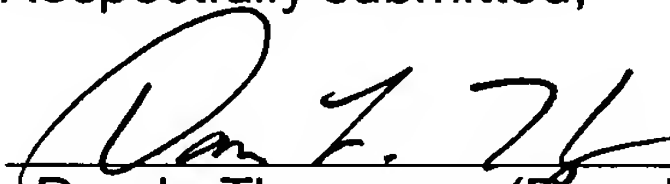
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Respectfully submitted,

1-5-2004

Date



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